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Applicant : Mitsuru Kogami
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 26, 2004, please amend the application, as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.